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Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated June 14, 2005, please amend the
above-identified application as follows:

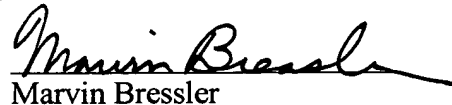
Amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims begin at page 3 of this paper.

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